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Federal Communications Commission
Office of the Secretary

Dear Mr. Powell,

I can not believe you would be so insensitive as to push a new regulation that would increase the cost of phone cards to our troops.

Fully 95% of our sons and daughters, brothers and sisters, fathers and mothers in the military use phone cards to maintain contact with their loved ones back home.

A group I belong to has just completed a successful drive to collect money to purchase phone cards for our hospitalized injured troops for the holidays.

WE realize the importance of connectedness for these brave soldiers suffering the wounds of war.

Where is your heart? Let alone your head?

I will be passing this information along to all of my friends.

Expect another deluge Mr. Powell.

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